
**EXPANDED CAPACITY FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN
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PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Cluster Group Affiliation— Women

Congressional Districts Served—Michigan 4th, 5th, 7th, 8th, 9th

Purpose, Goals and Objectives— To decrease substance abuse in women and increase their overall health, psychiatric/emotional well-being. To improve mental health and social/emotional status of infant/children of all ages and prevent/treat potential substance abuse and other dysfunction. To improve family functioning and well-being. To implement and evaluate a multi-disciplinary team approach that assesses, plans treatment, and provides intervention for young children and their families. Evaluate and refine the communities response to families in treatment who have been affected.

Target Population/Geographic Service Area—The target population of this TCE project is women and children (ages birth - 12) residing in three mid-Michigan counties (Bay, Genesee, and Ingham)

Service Providers—Flint Odyssey House will provide the treatment services. Services will include family focused and gender specific substance abuse treatment to women with children.

Services Provided—The project will provide (1) Intensive gender-specific treatment services for women, (2) developmentally appropriate services and supports for children, and (3) family relationships and integration of services.

Desired Project Outputs—The project will expand bed capacity to treat an additional 150 women and children each year of the grant.

EVALUATION

Strategy and Design—A comparative repeated measures design will be used to evaluate the proposed program. This evaluation will build on those conducted for two previous grants (i.e CSAT residential treatment for pregnant and parenting women and SAMHSA Integrated Children and Family Services). The overall strategy is to identify key measures and assess them at intake and periodically for four levels of analysis. The project uses an interactive evaluation strategy many of the process measures described in the application will also be used for the outcome evaluation.

Evaluation Goals/Desired Results—Goal #1 Women' health and emotional status and coping skills including parenting. Goal 2 Children's developmental status related to intellectual development and school accomplishments, mental health, and socialization skills. Goal 3. Family functioning. Goal 4. Family focused care. Goal 5. Community integration of care.

Instruments and Data Management—A wide variety of standardized and customized instruments are listed as data gathering devices.

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